

REMARKS

Claims 5-8, 14-16, 19-20, 22, 27, 30-31, and 45-46 are pending.

Claims 1-4, 9-13, 17-18, 21, 23-26, 28-29, and 32-44 have been cancelled.

In the Office Action dated April 29, 2009, claims 32 and 33 were rejected as being unpatentable under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) over Quintana (U.S. Patent No. 5,867,184) in view of Garcia (U.S. Patent No. 6,042,216).

Applicant acknowledges the allowance of claims 30, 45, and 46, and the indication that claims 5-8, 14-16, 19, 20, 22, 27, and 31 would be allowable if the objections were overcome.

Claims 5, 7, 14, 15, 19, 20, 22, 27, and 31 have been amended to address the objections.

Claims 32 and 33 have been cancelled, without prejudice, to render the rejection of those claims moot.

Allowance of all claims is respectfully requested.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees and/or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-2025 (60990043-1).

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